

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

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Examiner: Jinhee Lee

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In re Patent Application of

MENDIS et al

Serial No. 10/589,613

Filed: August 16, 2006

Title: DATA HANDLING SYSTEM



Commissioner for Patents

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Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting \$540.00 (1401)/\$270.00 (2401) \$ 540.00 applicant's claim(s).

An appeal **BRIEF** is attached in the pending appeal of the above-identified application \$540.00 (1402)/\$270.00 (2402) \$

Credit for fees paid in prior appeal without decision on merits -\$ ()

A reply brief is attached. (no fee)

Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review form attached.

Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) One Month Extension \$130.00 (1251)/\$65.00 (2251)
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CREDIT CARD PAYMENT FORM ATTACHED.

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